IN THE CLAIMS:

(Currently Amended) A circuit for removing noise on a <u>regulated</u> voltage input line, comprising:

a ferrite bead connected in the <u>regulated</u> voltage input line, the ferrite bead having a first resistance; and

a bulk capacitor with low equivalent series resistance connected between an output side of the ferrite bead and ground.

- 2. (Previously presented) The circuit according to claim 1, wherein the capacitor is a D case tantalum bulk capacitor.
- 3. (Previously presented) The circuit according to claim 2, wherein the capacitor has the series resistance of approximately 0.8 Ohms.
- 4. (Previously presented) The circuit according to claim 1, wherein the ferrite bead has the first resistance of approximately 0.3 Ohms.
- 5. (Previously presented; Allowed) A voltage supply device comprising: a voltage source including a voltage regulator section producing a voltage output;

a ferrite bead connected at one side to the voltage output and forming at another side an output, the ferrite bead having a first resistance; and

a capacitor with low equivalent series resistance connected between the output and ground;

where switching regulator noise from the voltage regulator section is removable by the ferrite bead and capacitor.

- 6. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage supply device according to claim 5, wherein the capacitor is a D case tantalum bulk capacitor.
- 7. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage supply device according to claim 5, wherein the capacitor has the series resistance of approximately 0.8 Ohms.
- 8. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage supply device according to claim 5, wherein the ferrite bead has the first resistance of approximately 0.3 Ohms.
- 9. (Currently Amended) A method of removing switching regulator noise from a <u>regulated</u> voltage supply line, comprising:

connecting a ferrite bead in the <u>regulated</u> voltage input line, the ferrite bead having a first resistance; and

connecting a bulk capacitor with low equivalent series resistance between an output side of the ferrite bead and ground.

10. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 9, wherein the capacitor is a D case tantalum bulk capacitor.

- 11. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 10, wherein the capacitor has the series resistance of approximately 0.8 Ohms.
- 12. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 9, wherein the ferrite bead has the first resistance of approximately 0.3 Ohms.
- 13. (Previously presented; Allowed) A voltage source for a clock circuit, comprising:
 - a voltage regulator having a regulator output;
- a ferrite bead connected to the regulator output of the voltage regulator and having an output, the ferrite bead having a first resistance; and
- a bulk capacitor with low equivalent series resistance connected to the output of the ferrite bead at one side and ground at another side;

wherein the ferrite bead and capacitor act to remove switching regulator noise so as to produce an input voltage supply having a reduced switching regulator noise for the clock circuit.

- 14. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage source according to claim13, wherein the capacitor is a D case tantalum bulk capacitor.
- 15. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage source according to claim14, wherein the capacitor has the series resistance of approximately 0.8 Ohms.

- 16. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage source according to claim13, wherein the ferrite bead has the first resistance of approximately 0.3 Ohms.
- 17. (Previously presented; Allowed) The circuit according to claim 1, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor are provided in an "L" shaped filter configuration.
- 18. (Previously presented; Allowed) The circuit according to claim 1, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor form a resistor divider circuit to assist in noise signal removal.
- 19. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage supply device according to claim 5, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor are provided in an "L" shaped filter configuration.
- 20. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage supply device according to claim 5, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor form a resistor divider circuit to assist in noise signal removal.
- 21. (Previously presented; Allowed) The method according to claim 9, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor are provided in an "L" shaped filter configuration.

- 22. (Previously presented; Allowed) The method according to claim 9, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor form a resistor divider circuit to assist in noise signal removal.
- 23. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage source according to claim 14, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor are provided in an "L" shaped filter configuration.
- 24. (Previously presented; Allowed) The voltage source according to claim 14, wherein the ferrite bead and the capacitor form a resistor divider circuit to assist in noise signal removal.